

JUST GLEANINGS

126 L.R. CALF AT BIRTH

LETTERBINDER—Birth of a super-giant Shorthorn bull calf in the Barons district was reported here. The animal was born on the farm of Gus Erdman and at birth weighed 126 lbs., outlasting the recently reported birth of a calf at Timmins, Ont.

The calf is well-proportioned, lively and in the best of condition.

PELTS PAY FOR WAR BONDS

FORT NELSON, B.C.—Mary Ann Dear River, aged Indian woman, arrived last week at the end of a 60-mile trek with 67 fur pelts which she instructed W.R. Garbutt, Hudson Bay Company trader here, to sell so that she could invest the proceeds in Canada's sixth Victory Loan.

GETS \$100 RING FOR 45 CENTS

KANKAKEE, Ill.—A discerning dime-store shopper recently picked up a \$100 ruby ring for 45 cents.

Clerk Kathryn Muehler said she removed her ruby ring to let a customer try it on. The customer handed back Miss Muehler's laid the ring in a tray of 40 cents rings and she completed the sale.

Then Miss Muehler, turned around her own ring was gone. Another clerk had sold it.

FISHING SEASON IN ALBERTA

The Hon. N.E. Tanner, Minister of Lands and Mines, announced recently that the angling season for trout, stock mountain whitefish and grayling will open May 1st and close on Sept. 30th for the Red Deer and the North Saskatchewan rivers and their tributaries. In the southern part of the province, from the international boundary line up to and including the Bow River and its tributaries, the season will open June 16th and close October 31st, 1944.

SLEEPING SICKNESS IN HORSES

Serious losses have previously occurred in Alberta as a result of sleeping sickness in horses, and may occur again unless due precautions are taken.

Dr. P.R. Talbot, Provincial Veterinarian, warns that horses vaccinated from vaccination, lasts only during the one season. Sleeping Sickness occurs during the summer and fall months, and horses vaccinated last year will be susceptible to the disease unless re-vaccinated.

Spring is the time for vaccination against Sleeping Sickness, and those who have not already taken the necessary precautions are advised to do so without delay. The only sure protection is Chick Vaccine which may be purchased from any drug store or registered veterinarian. Do not use old vaccine. When purchased, the date for the expiration date stamped on the bottle. Care should be taken to prevent infection of the instrument and disinfection of the skin at the point of inoculation are of great importance.

A pamphlet "Sleeping Sickness in Horses" has been prepared by Dr. Talbot, and a copy may be obtained from the Alberta Department of Agriculture on request.

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SEEDING OF WHEAT PROGRESSES SLOWLY ON MANY FARMS

Some Farmers Have All
Wheat Seeding Done

Seeding of wheat has been slow on many farms in the district the past week, due mainly to high winds and the reluctance of farmers to seed due to the dryness of the soil.

Many farmers, particularly to the south of town, have their wheat seeding completed and have also put in much of their coarse grain seed.

To the north seeding has been slower, but most farmers have started and are now going ahead as rapidly as possible.

There is a possibility that more acreage in the Carbon district will be sown to wheat this year, due to the brighter prospects for disposing of the crop. As this is a wheat growing district it may mean the cutting down of coarse grain acreage.

Pastures are coming along slowly due to a deficiency of moisture, and a good soaking rain would be welcomed at this time.

In buying 6th Victory Loan Bonds it is well to remember that in addition to the effect upon the individual there is the effect upon the country as a whole to be considered. Every province and retained helps to ease the strain of maintaining the "price ceiling," and in doing so helps to ward off the evils of inflation.

POST-WAR PLANS OF GOVERNMENT

Prime Minister Mackenzie King emphasized to Parliament that the Government intends to pass this session a comprehensive program of legislation designed to meet post-war problems and assure a high standard of living in the Dominion after the war. Measures to be brought before Parliament include a national housing bill; a family allowance bill; a bill to provide a floor under farm prices and a health insurance bill. If reasonable agreement can be reached between the provinces.

The housing program will include aid for building and improving farm homes and dwellings in villages and towns, as well as in the large centers of population.

The family allowance program, federally financed, will provide monthly payments to parents according to the number of dependent children in the family of school age. It will be of special assistance to those in the lower income groups. The measure to provide for their under farm prices is designed to keep agricultural prices from falling to unprofitable levels and to assure farmers a family a proper standard of living. Health insurance will guarantee medical and hospital services to all under farm prices from those in the lower income groups and without charge to those who cannot pay the minimum cost.

GRASSHOPPERS MAY DO DAMAGE IN CARBON AREA

According to J.L. Eaglesham, Supervisor of Pest Control, it is expected that the greater part of Alberta will be free from grasshoppers in 1944, particularly if May and June should be wet. If, however, South-western Alberta should experience a dry season, some loss will likely occur over a large rectangle in this territory. The corners of this rectangle are located at Taber and Macleod in the south and at Three Hills and Craigmyle in the north. Carbon and Rockyford are among the districts where a loss may be expected if conditions are favorable for the hoppers.

EXTENSION OF WAR INDUSTRY TRAINING FACILITIES IS MADE

It was announced today by Hon. Humphrey Mitchell, Minister of Labour, that by a recent Order in Council, agreements entered into with the Provinces on May 4, 1942, to provide training facilities for workers in direct war production are being extended to make available these facilities for the training of persons required in industries and plants producing essential civilian goods.

Training programmes being operated jointly by the Dominion and the Provinces may now be extended to include courses for the instruction of skilled and semi-skilled workers in labour requirements in such essential civilian services as food processing and textile manufacturing. The arrangement has been reached following consultation with officials of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, National Service Service, and the Vocational Training Branch of the Department of Labour.

It is planned to offer immediately apprenticeship and super-loyalty training, plant training schools and part-time classes in those centers where labour shortages can be overcome in part by training new workers.

ALBERTA SPRING CONDITIONS

The month of April has, for the most part, been featureless, dryness and frosty nights. Growth has been at a minimum. Seeding has been started virtually in almost every area of the province but cannot as yet be termed "general." The farmers in southern Alberta, fearful of early frosts, are delaying seeding as late as possible.

May 9th the Dominion Bureau of Statistics will issue its report on "Intention to plant." Until that time it will be rather difficult to say what the acreages seeded to the various grains will total this season. Doubtless there will be a fairly large increase in the wheat acreage. Dr. W.C. Girdley, secretary of the wheat board, has come out publicly for increased wheat acreage, which will unquestionably influence farmers in their spring operations. Alberta Wheat Pool Budget.

SUPPORT THE WAR LOAN

The federal minister of finance has given certain assurances that the price of war bonds will be maintained in the post-war period. He says the facilities of the Bank of Canada will be used for that purpose.

While this may allay the fears of the timid, the great majority of the people of Canada will invest their savings in war bonds because of an abiding faith and loyalty in Canada, and a belief in the great destiny of this nation. But above all, the real argument is the need for this money for the support of the war effort. Alberta boys have distinguished themselves in every branch of the armed services. The folks at home are helping their utmost to back the boys at the front.

EUROPEAN PEOPLE AND FATS

In Canada butter is the only fat that is rationed. In Europe, at this time, however, all fats are usually grouped together for rationing and in most countries the weekly ration of all fats is less than the Canadian ration of butter alone. One of the loaves of all fat rationed in France is in France where the normal consumption is supposed to get only 1½ ounces a week, slightly more than the ration of butter in a day. The German fat ration is seven ounces a week, Norway and Denmark have a slightly higher ration. But in the Netherlands the weekly ration for children of all fats, even with an increase reported to have become effective, is no more than 3 ounces.

BUY VICTORY BONDS

LOADING A THOUSAND POUND BOMB—PART OF A DAY'S WORK



Picture shows a one-thousand pound bomb on its way to the under-carriage of a Kittybomber operating from an advanced airfield in Italy. The wing which these bombs belong has, in one day, operated in support of the 8th Army, 5th Army, over the beach-head of Rome, and helped the partisans in Yugoslavia.

THE WORLD OF WHEAT REVIEWED WEEKLY BY MAJOR H.G.L. STRANGE

This war is far from won, no matter what some may say. In the spring of 1915 the odds were heavily in favour of the Germans winning the last war, and yet by November the Germans were beaten.

War is won with great difficulty but can easily and quickly be lost. War has never been lost from the lack of a few extra men, some extra equipment, munitions or guns. The only assurance of victory is to have more men, more and better weapons and equipment than the enemy.

Then, too, with my own eyes I have seen young men killed in battle because they did not have at hand sufficient munitions.

To train, equip and transport manpower, to manufacture munitions and to make them available to fighting men costs money and lots of it. The Government depends on the sale of Victory Bonds for a considerable part of the money it needs.

As I see it, it is not a mere privilege that we have to buy Victory Bonds. It is a sheer undeniable high duty and responsibility we must assume in order to supply the Government with sufficient money to prevent unnecessary loss of life, and to ensure the winning of battles and of the war. Only by winning the war can we be assured of a free and bright future for ourselves and for our children.

WHEAT BOARD PAPERS

It should be noted that the wheat board payments from participation certificates for deliveries from 1940, 1941 and 1942 crops are recently announced by the government are "average" payments. That means that in some instances the amount paid will be higher than the announced figures and in other instances will be lower. And, consequently, in the grade of the grain. In certain instances the lower grades will run substantially higher than the average because of wide differences realized from the sales over the initial advance on those grades.

LONG YEARS AGO

May 4, 1933

The annual school fair will not be held this fall at Carbon, reason given is that the government will not make a grant this year.

Commencing this week there will be only one passenger train a week on Calgary on the C.P.R. There will also be a train from Kneebell to Calgary on Thursdays. Freight trains will continue to operate as usual.

The past week has seen many of the town gardens plowed and ready for seed. The season is late delayed this year, and rain has again delayed seeding.

Julius Taylor suffered two broken ribs last Friday when he was kicked by a horse.

May 1, 1921

The Carbon branch of the Bank of Toronto was closed down this week.

An attempt was made Tuesday to re-open the Stoppin mine. Picketers on the work but have failed to keep 14 men from going to work.

A.J. McLeod is building a new bungalow on his farm.

Harry Thorburn has purchased a confectionery store in Calgary, at 201 14th Ave. West.

CARBON UNIT SHOWS PROGRESS IN DRIVE FOR VICTORY BONDS

Should Reach Quota
Of \$52,000 This Week

The Carbon Unit of the Sixth Victory Loan has been showing more active results during the past week and according to Unit organizer S.E. Torrance the sum of \$50,000 has been subscribed to date, leaving only \$1,000 more to raise if we are to reach our quota of \$52,000, set by provincial headquarters.

The people of this district have responded very well to the purchase of bonds and there are others who can buy a bond, but who have not made an application. To these few we urge that they go to the local branch of the Bank of Montreal, a number of canvassing committee, or direct to the unit organizer and purchase a bond immediately, even if it is only for \$50, and you have to buy it on the instalment plan with six months to pay for it at no interest. This loan of national importance and it should not be left to a few to take up the issue, but everyone should buy a bond. To these few we urge that they go to the local branch of the Bank of Montreal, a number of canvassing committee, or direct to the unit organizer and purchase a bond immediately, even if it is only for \$50, and you have to buy it on the instalment plan with six months to pay for it at no interest.

If you have a savings account, put every dollar of it into Victory Bonds. The investment is better as far as interest is concerned, and the security is the best there is. What more could there be? There are only a few days more in which to buy bonds in the present loan. Make your application at once!

DON'T STOP MY PAPER (From Neepawa Press)

Don't stop my paper printer, Don't strike my name off yet—You know the times are stringent. And the strike, it is getting. But tug it a little harder.

Is what I mean to do. And scrape the dirt together, through me and you.

I find it doesn't pay.

To do without your paper.

And other others.

I hate to ask my neighbors.

To give me theirs on loan;

They don't just say but even if.

Why don't you have your own.

You can't tell how we miss it.

If it is any fare.

Should happen not to reach us.

Or come a little late.

And things go all awry;

And printer if you're married

Will rather die than say why;

I cannot do without it.

It is no use to try;

And the people will say.

And printer so must I.

I must keep me posted

And keep the news on

Or feel and be accounted.

A foggy simplifier.

Take a minute's printer,

For each is not so plenty.

But I must have this paper

Cost what it may to me;

Id rather die than say why;

And do without my tea.

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Urge Economic Council For The British Empire

LONDON.—Parliament held an empire clinic, but in deference to the forthcoming meeting of dominion prime ministers, the government made no commitment on proposals for improving unity.

"The government is going to take no final decision on these matters that have been discussed until we have had an opportunity to discuss them with the dominion governments' representatives," explained Hugh Dalton, president of the board of trade, after the first half of a two-day empire debate.

Replying for the government after members advanced such proposals as creating an economic council to plan development of the empire's resources, Mr. Dalton said it would be wrong and discourteous if a government spokesman were to prejudge any matters raised in debate which would be considered at the coming "family council."

This council was called "at the most decisive moment in the war and the most decisive and dramatic moment in the history of the world and of the empire itself," he added.

Dr. Dalton promised a frank discussion on all matters with the dominion prime ministers and said the government would seek to achieve a united empire policy in line as it had in the past. The aim aimed at full employment and raising standards of life in each part of the empire.

Regarding trade, he said the government would not alter any preferential arrangements as they now exist except after discussion and agreement with the dominion governments.

"We must expand our trade with the empire but it is also necessary to do so with other important areas of the world," he said.

The board of trade president added that nobody has asked Britain to disassociate herself from the South American market and she had no intention of doing so.

All speakers in the debate agreed on one thing—the close wartime unity in the commonwealth would be perpetuated in peace.

Emmanuel Shinwell, Labor opened the debate in the morning with the economic council proposal.

The economic council representing the whole empire should plan development of resources and post-war economic arrangements with necessary European countries Mr. Shinwell said. It should take an immediate inventory of the empire's resources and inquire now, in preparation for the war's end into possibilities of economic expansion particularly in India.

Mr. Shinwell said also Britain should consider the possibility of effecting some arrangement with Scandinavia, the Netherlands, Denmark, Belgium and liberated France which could dovetail into the economic commonwealth.

Mr. Shinwell asserted, "We have no intention of throwing the British commonwealth of nations overboard in order to satisfy a section of the American press or anyone else."

Mr. Shinwell praised Canada for entering the war without waiting for the war to come to her and said there were elements who looked to the time 20 or 30 years hence when Canada would be the greatest country in the world.

But, he added, the dominions could prosper only by disposing of their products. The British market was still the one most important bargaining factor in trade and commerce and Britain should avail herself of the empire's vast goodwill market.

STILL A MENACE

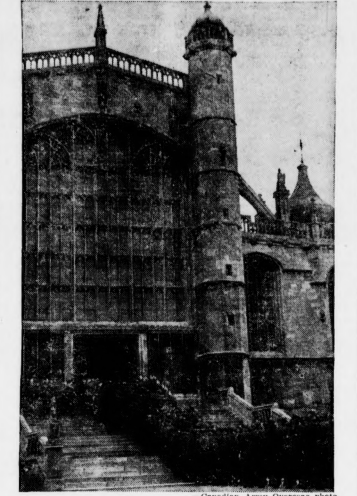
Germany Likely To Use Submarines Again, Says British Commander

OTTAWA.—German submarine warfare is still a "very definite menace" and is likely to break out again with renewed fury, Lieut. Norman Jewell, one of Britain's outstanding submarine commanders, said here in an interview.

Lieut. Jewell, who has sunk or damaged 14 enemy vessels and the current list in U-boat attacks probably could be assigned to two major reasons.

"The recent losses against German warships, the Tirpitz and Scharnhorst, for instance, have probably had repercussions among many persons," he said. "The Germans undoubtedly have been forced to keep their submarines at home through the morale and because they were as many as possible on hand when the Allies invade the continent."

Canadian Church Parade At Windsor Castle



For the first time in World War II, Canadian troops held a Church parade recently at the world famous Windsor Castle in England. Photograph shows Canadians marching into St. George's Chapel in the Castle grounds. Windsor Castle is the "home" residence of the King and Queen.

Britain Plans Measures For German Control

LONDON.—Britain is determined that so far as humanly possible nothing will stand in the way of curbing Germany's future war potential, Lord Cherwell assured the house of lords.

Speaking for the government in a debate initiated by Lord Viscount, Lord Cherwell promised professional scientists would be asked to help and the government intended to take the necessary steps without permitting tenderness to the enemy or troubles it might involve for him to interfere.

Lord Viscount proposed the government appoint a committee of scientists to plan measures of control, particularly for Germany's chemical industry.

He urged partial deindustrialization of Germany after the war and said he presumed there would be inter-Alied control of German heavy iron and steel industries and prohibition of such industries as aviation, machine tools, synthetic gasoline and synthetic rubber.

"A great part of the world's present appalling trouble has arisen from the fact that Germany has been greatly over-industrialized and these measures would, I think, be part and parcel of reasonable deindustrialization," said Lord Viscount, an outspoken proponent of the idea of breaking Germany.

Lord Strathclyde suggested that German heavy industry might be useful in the reconstruction of Europe and said he thought people in control of industries rather than the existence of industries caused wars.

"We want to see a new German generation growing up which will collaborate with Europe and will be peaceful, prosperous and contented," he said.

The Earl of Perth proposed that Germany be deprived of aircraft, battleships, submarines and tanks.

Planes for internal needs could be imported under licence and Germany should have the right to acquire freely such metals and minerals as manganese, wolfram, tungsten and nickel.

BANK OF ENGLAND GOVERNOR

LONDON.—Lord Catto was elected governor of the Bank of England, succeeding Montagu Norman, who announced his retirement April 6 "due to illness and advanced age."

For a quarter century, Mr. Norman had headed the bank. Basil Gage Catto was re-elected deputy governor.

OTTAWA.—Air Minister Power said in the commons that transport aircraft for the movement of troops in the defence of Canada would be available in 1944, a year earlier than had been expected.

LIBERATED AREAS

Russia Has Not Asked For Assistance Under United Nations Relief Plan

OTTAWA.—Brooke Claxton, parliamentary assistant to Prime Minister Mackenzie King, said in the commons that as far as he knew Russia had not yet requested assistance for liberated areas under the United Nations relief and rehabilitation administration.

He was answering Hon. Grote Stirling (P.C. Yale) during discussion of a bill covering a Canadian contribution to U.N.R.R.A. expenses. Mr. Stirling asked if Russian areas recently liberated and eastern European countries it was hoped would soon be liberated were covered by the U.N.R.R.A. arrangements.

Mr. Claxton said U.N.R.R.A. was not undertaking the task of reconstruction, as of industry, but simply sought to rehabilitate nations and they could help themselves.

Experience in North Africa, Sicily and Italy had said U.N.R.R.A. in estimating the needs of other lands to be liberated. These estimates were being revised from time to time.

RICHES OF NORTH

Conceded To Hold More Minerals Than Any Other Part Of World

CALGARY.—The pre-Cambrian shield which runs from the south shore of Great Bear lake, south to western of Great Slave lake, east of Fort Smith and through northern Saskatchewan and Manitoba, is conceded to hold more mineral wealth than any other part of the world, declared Colonel Harry Snyder, F.R.C.S., world explorer and big game hunter, who spoke to a service club.

Col. Snyder, who owns a ranch in the Red Deer valley west of Olds, spoke of his expedition in the Northwest Territories in 1934 to find out about the wood bison.

The area contains every kind of metal including tin, vast timber resources, the greatest natural water power in the world and good farming land.

Approximately one-half of the doctors in Russia today are women.

Royal Family Enjoys A Rough Ride



Standing up in a military scout car, King George (right), Queen Elizabeth and Princess Elizabeth, who celebrated her 18th birthday on April 21, are shown as the royal family conducted a full-length inspection tour of armored infantry units poised for the invasion of western Europe. During the inspection the royal family rode jeeps and half-tracks and seemed to enjoy the rough ride.

Theatres Of War Just A Memory To Repatriated Canadians



The war theatres are just a memory to the Canadian soldiers shown above on their return to Canada aboard the Army hospital ship "Lady Nelson." The men were transferred to hospital trains shortly after arrival. (Left) are shown Pte. Gordon Allan of Alliance, Alta., left, and L.Cpl. H. W. Way of Powell River, B.C., on the right. Allan was wounded in Sicily, with the Canadian Infantry Corps. Way, who wears the good conduct stripe on his sleeve, was injured in a motorcycle accident in England. On the right is shown one of the ubiquitous card games on the hospital train, with Sgt. W. J. Demars of Gibbon, Alta., left and Pte. M. R. Likes of Fairview, Alta., right. Likes was wounded while fighting with his unit near Mt. Elba, Italy. Demars was injured by a shell while preparing supper outside his billet in Italy.

Just A Sailor



A survivor of three enemy torpedoes during close to four years of sea travel, 22-year-old L.S. Wilfred Greenwood, R.C.N.R., of Goderich, Ont., can't get used to the idea of being ashore.

TENSE SITUATION

Danes Call General Strike For Killing By The Nazis

STOCKHOLM.—German troops dispersed thousands of demonstrating Danes in Sonderborg during a general strike called after German naval guns had killed one person and wounded two.

Crowds accompanied the coffin to the central station and sang songs directed at the Nazis.

Copenhagen dispatches said the situation was tense in the town, a manufacturing centre of 40,000 in southern Jutland, and that a number of arrests had been made.

Barbed wire barricades were erected and Danish police assisted by Germans patrolled the streets with machine-guns.

RUMOR DENIED

NEW YORK.—The semi-official American newspaper Observator Romano was quoted by the Vatican radio as terming as "a pure invention" the Nazi-organized rumor that a time bomb had been discovered in the famed St. Peter's chapel.

Canadians Man Two Aircraft Escort Carriers

OTTAWA.—Canadian naval personnel have now manned two escort aircraft carriers of the Royal Navy, it was announced by Hon. Angus L. Macdonald, minister of national defence for naval services.

Manning of the carriers had been forecast in two previous statements by the minister. It has been pointed out that the carriers are Canadian-manned so far as seaman personnel is concerned; flying personnel is of the Royal Navy's fleet air arm. The ships are under operational direction of the British admiralty.

Manning of the carriers introduces new use of the fact that Canada and the United States Navy. To date it has been a navy of small ships manned largely by inexperienced young men reared far from the sea, who have brought many new ideas to old problems. Naval officials suggest it is perhaps just this quality which has enabled the much larger aircraft carriers to be taken over without fuss and with very little bother.

The carrier is actually a hull built around a complete flying field in miniature. It has runways and hangars, repair shops, high top gasoline storage, a complete meteorological station, and the latest in ranging and detection devices.

In addition there are hundreds of electrically powered machines ranging from freight elevators large enough to carry a section of the runway, to flight deck and hangar deck, down to the small half horsepower motors powering precision drills and valve graders.

Nearly 500 feet long from stem to stern, the flight deck, clean and flat as a billiard table, stretches from bow to stern. The deck is divided into aircraft to and from the hangar deck immediately below it, are flush with the deck and form part of the runway when in position.

Smokestacks are carried out below the flight deck to one side and at no point rise above the superstructure with its navigating bridge, mast and aerials, has been crowded over to the starboard side completely clear of the runway and overhanging the side of the ship.

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Says Empire Should Unite On Air Power

VICTORIA.—The British empire should stand together in development of the air power of the future, Premier George Drew of Ontario told a Kewlin Canadian Club luncheon here.

He said that now is the time this decision should be made and that there should be a full discussion of the matter.

Development of air transportation is going to mean that the nations of the empire and commonwealth will be able to knit themselves more closely together than ever before.

There had been a feeling, the premier said, that of the empire working together in a great and powerful fellowship would be resented in the United States. He said he does not agree with this.

"I believe the people of the United States are hoping for a more strongly knit empire to stand side by side with them in the years to come," he said. "I believe they are hopeful that the nations of the empire will become true and great and powerful partners—it is to their advantage, too, that we should strengthen that feeling in every way."

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Our duty—Buy Victory Bonds.

Physical Fitness Is Essential In Order To Make Certain Of The Stamina Of Armed Forces

"Whether or not it was the Duke of Wellington who said that the Battle of Waterloo was won on the playing fields of Eton, somebody did, and in so doing formulated a saying that had some significance," says Major Ian Elsenhardt, newly appointed National Director of Physical Fitness.

The Romans, centuries before this remark was made, also had a proverb about the relationship of a sound mind to a sound body. And now, as then, mental and physical alertness are realized to be closely dependent on one another and essential to general well-being.

In wartime, strong young men in uniform are necessary for the building of an effective armed force, a force big enough to help beat the Axis and Canada takes care to see that her sons in the service are kept strong and healthy. With men and women working at high tempo, and living too often in overcrowded quarters, it is just as important to safeguard their physical fitness as it is to make certain of the strength and stamina of the armed forces. Because good health is of national importance, the Government has formulated Canada's new Physical Fitness Act. But, physical fitness is not only important for those who are engaged directly or indirectly in war work; it is also most important for children. Participation in a well-rounded recreational program teaches team play and team play makes good citizenship, as well as gives victories in battle. Organized recreation which helps develop creative abilities is important for both elementary and high school boys and girls.

British Columbia has had for some years a scheme known as "Pro-Fit", in which tens of thousands of young people participate in recreational activities. These include rhythmic gymnastics, dancing, and sports of all kinds. In a recent interview, Major Elsenhardt, formerly in charge of "Pro-Fit", recalled that one objective of the British Columbia project was to develop large numbers of young people able to perform creditably in the popular tests of athletic prowess. "Instead of one youth who could run 100 yards in 10 seconds," said Major Elsenhardt, "hundreds were trained who could run that distance in 12 seconds. We carried this out in almost every phase of our work in B.C. Instead of a small number of marathon swimmers, thousands were taught to swim."

Countries like Britain and more recently the United States," Major Elsenhardt stated, "have realized the necessity for maintaining a proper balance of work, rest and play. Part of the duties of the National Council on Physical Fitness, established by the President, is to plan for training teachers, lecturers and instructors, to coordinate the efforts of the provinces to organize activities, to promote sports and to co-operate in occupational therapy work."

Emergency Rations

New Development For Lifeboats
Discovered By U.S. Scientists
United States navy scientists disclosed development of new "candy-type" tablet-form emergency rations for lifeboats and rafts, and handed a day's allotment weighed half as much as present shipboard rations.

The new ration consists of three different types of tablets:
One of sucrose (sugar) and citric acid to provide for electrolyte and promote the flow of saliva;
One of sucrose, corn syrup and citric acid, containing a butter-soluble material to provide buttery feel.

One of sucrose, corn syrup and malted milk.
A daily ration consists of tablets totalling about a third of a pound in weight.

The present ration of the navy—consisting of biscuit, malted milk tablets, pemmican, hot Indian fruit food and chocolate—weighs about two-thirds of a pound.

NOT LIKELY

Hubbard, worriedly: "I had it on the tip of my tongue a moment ago and now it is gone."

Wife: "Maybe it's come back if you think hard."

Hubbard: "I don't think so. It was the 4-cent stamp I was going to put on my letter."

The row was the favorite banner of many rulers of Greece and Rome and was used as a symbol on their banners and shields.

A British bombweight has 1,500 tiny parts, some fitted with tolerances as low as .0008 of an inch thick.

Four Of A Kind



The war is a family affair for F. A. Bartram, Canadian Pacific Railway pumpman at Consul, Alberta, who has been with the railway on the Lethbridge division for the past 27 years. Pictured above are his three sons and a daughter who are in the armed services. Freda, Stanley and Ralph, shown left to right, back row, chose the Royal Canadian Air Force. Freda is doing a man's job with the R.C.A.F. women's division at Pearce, Alta.; Stanley is a pilot; and Ralph is a pilot. The fourth son, who is also in the armed services, is at Macleod, Alta. Vincent, front row, is the sailor member of the family. Six years in the Royal Canadian Navy, he was in the destroyer "St. Laurent" during the evacuation of Dunkirk, and was also in the destroyer when it was commended for rescuing survivors from the torpedoed steamer, "Ancon Star". He is now serving in H.M.C.S. Blenheim overseas.

Six-Month Vigil

Australasian Flier Who Reported Japanese Air Attacks Real Hero

Exactly a year after his death in a plane crash, it was revealed how P. L. Lee Vial of Melbourne kept a six-month vigil in 1942 from a hilltop behind the Japanese-held town of Salamaua in New Guinea and warned of Japanese air attacks.

Throughout his long watch, Vial reported every move of the Japanese radio to the Allied defenders of Port Moresby, 200 miles away on the other side of New Guinea.

At that time Port Moresby was the heaviest bombed Allied base in the Southwest Pacific but Vial was able to tell his defenders whenever a raid was imminent.

They never saw him but called him "Vial of the Golden Voice". His observation post was a tall tree in which he sat for hours staring through binoculars. Twice this caused him to go blind.

His camp was always damp and leech-infested, and his food was scarce and monotonous. Sick and hungry he was often hunted by the Japanese, but their patrols never found him.

Vial's vigil ended only when he became too ill to carry on. He walked to Wan, 25 miles away and was then flown to Port Moresby.

Have No News

Japanese People Still Living In Days Of Pearl Harbor

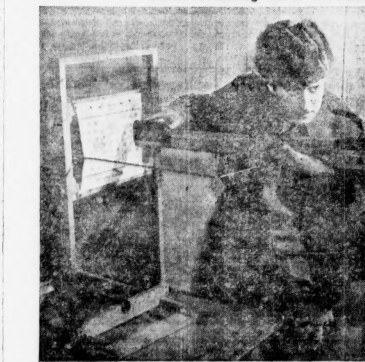
No matter how relentless the pressure on Japan becomes, it cannot be overlooked that the Japanese people have no real glimpse into the news of events. The Tokyo radio, which is a worse than at Berlin in pressing down on unfavorable trends.

As a matter of fact, a prominent writer, out of Japan, is witness to the fact that the Japs are still living in the days of Pearl Harbor. The British and American "barbarians" are to be wiped off the earth.

Daily cast to France of German occupation would build 2,500 workmen's homes.

Raccoons wash meat before eating it.

Swift Training Rifle Newest Weapon



Newest training rifle, the Swift, prongs dart out at the target when the trigger is pressed. Targets, less than an inch square, are scaled perfectly. Perforation made by prongs shows where a bullet fired from a normal rifle would strike.

Has Become Science

People In German Cities Prove Very Clever At Disappearing

A Swiss, recently returned from Germany, has given in the Swiss paper Die Nation a picture of the "unimaginable chaos" that exists today in dozens of German cities.

The individual (he says) can disappear ("disappear"), in the sea of disaster and confusion. Every day people disappear and cannot be found again. Not only people killed in air raids. Disappearance has developed into a science. There are many people whose existence is for some reason endangered. They may be deserters and criminals, but more probably they are politically compromised men for whom it is a boon to have a chance to allow themselves to be declared dead or missing.

An outline of the process, given in the Swiss report, was broadcast in the B.B.C.'s European Service. The members of a man's family go to a police station one day and report that on a particular evening he had said he was going to pay a visit to a certain friend at a particular address. He has not returned home after his visit. His relatives are most anxious. The police investigate and find that this particular house was totally destroyed on the night in question and that there is no hope that the man could still be alive. The relatives may even state that they believe they can recognize his body among the charred corpses. The man is officially reported "missing" or "dead."

He is not dead, however, but is helping in rescue work may have found the papers of some dead man. He moves to some distant city; it is impossible to prove that his identity is false. Nowadays, the correspondent goes nobody knows in Germany whether he is talking to Dr. Jekyll or Mr. Hyde. There are thousands of people who are not the persons they pretend to be.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

The earth is struck by lightning on an average of 50 times every second.

New vegetable varieties and novelties have been tested and cultural trials have been carried out in Ontario, Canada, and in the United States.

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Nearly As Hard As Steel
A new chemical treatment which makes wood nearly as hard as steel, and will produce a thousand kinds of hardwood that never exist in nature, was announced in New York by the Du Pont company.

The chemical bath transmutes wood into virtually a new material, part wood and part plastic. It is made from a mixture of formaldehyde, urea, and a hardener.

These new hardwoods rival nature's best. Some exceed the hardness of ebony, the hardest natural wood. They go beyond natural wood in durable finish and in resistance to rot. They do not swell, shrink or warp.

The transmutation takes place when wood is steeped, under some pressure, in methylolurea, a compound of urea and formaldehyde. This compound combines with the natural acids in wood to become resin. The resin is like those which form plastics. Like them, they are plastic when first formed, but permanently and becomes resistant to heat, moisture and many chemicals.

Coffins are now dried quickly and efficiently by infra red lamps.

Manitoba Experimental Station Has Worked Wonders In Growing Many Fine Varieties Of Fruit

WHEN on a recent trip to Western Canada, John A. Stiles, Chief Executive Commissioner, Canadian General Council, Scouts Association, Ottawa, visited the Dominion Experimental Station at Morden, Manitoba. So impressed was Mr. Stiles with what he saw at Morden that he wrote to Dr. E. S. Archibald, Director, Dominion Experimental Station, on what he described as "The Miracle of Morden."

"When I leave the bald prairie," wrote Mr. Stiles, "and look over what has been done at the Experimental Station there, it just does not seem possible. May I express to you my hearty congratulations on this miracle. When I saw it, I said if I had my way I would have my first in Canada preach at least one sermon a year on 'The Miracle of Morden.'"

The miracle that has been worked at Morden dates from 1914, when the Dominion Government bought a 300-acre farm of sandy loam, typical of much of the prairie soil, and developing it as an Experimental Station. Fifteen years later, the acreage was increased by another 312 acres, making a total of nearly a square mile. Of the 612 acres, nearly 200 are devoted wholly to horticultural projects. The Station sits on the main trial grounds for the three Prairie Provinces for fruits, flowers, ornamental shrubs, and vegetables.

Since 1914, the Experimental Station at Morden has been developed into a place of surprising growth by W. R. Leslie, Superintendent of the Station, and his staff, in co-operation with the Horticultural Division at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa. What has been done in establishing the growing of fruits, ornamental shrubs, and vegetables has earned the popular belief that was held for a long time that such horticulture in the west wasn't possible in the Prairie Provinces.

A Prairie Arborium has been built up. In it more than 2,000 trees, shrubs, and vines have been assembled, some of the most serviceable coming from Northern Europe.

The Station has contributed nearly 100 varieties of fruits to prairie horticulture, of which there are more than 50 varieties of apples, nearly 20 varieties of plums, the remaining varieties comprising and cherries, mulberry cherries, a crab apple, and an apricot. In addition to accomplishing what was considered the impossible in the successful growing of apples, plums, cherries, apricots, pears, grapes and other fruits, the Station has grown a wide range of roses, shrub roses, and even exotic plants. Rose culture has extended to several thousand hybrids to the Central Experimental Farm. Encouraging advances have been recorded in hardier pillar and perpetual hybrids in more colorful bush roses.

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Marks Birthday



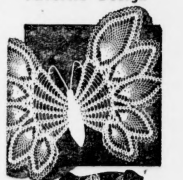
Jack Minor, Canadian naturalist, whose bird sanctuary at Kingsville, Ont., is famous, was given a testimonial dinner on his 75th birthday.

The Passing Parade

Dane Told Inspector What They Were Waiting For

From Stockholm comes word that Field Marshal Erwin Rommel recently staged a pompous parade on the Veltergade, one of Copenhagen's main thoroughfares. The story goes on to say that the Danes watched in stony silence as Rommel proudly rode by; their reaction fuming German officials with cold fury. Some time after Rommel had passed, groups of Danes were still standing impassively along the pavement, prompting an officious Nazi police inspector to admonish them: "Move on, Rommel won't come back. What are you waiting for?" One of the Danes spoke up calmly: "We're waiting for Montgomery." — Buffalo Courier-Express.

Favorite Design



Decorative as well as protective to the upholstery is this upholstered in slipcover design. It's everyone's favorite and rightfully for it's such lovely crochets.

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PROVE ANYTHING BY STATISTICS

Someone with a penchant for figures has compiled the following strange mathematical melange which is more interesting than prophecy:

Roosevelt—Born 1882; took office 1933; years in office, 11; present age 62; total 3,888.

Churchill—Born 1874; took office 1940; years in office, 4; present age, 70; total 3,888.

Stalin—Born 1879; took office 1924; years in office, 20; age 65; total 3,888.

Hitler—Born 1889; took office 1933; years in office, 11; age 55; total 3,888.

Divide the total by two, and the answer is 1944.

One thing is true—all the men mentioned are "figures of destiny"—but you can take the same set of statistics, apply them to anyone—including yourself—and get the same answer.

PRICES OF NEW POTATOES SET

Sale of domestic new potatoes in Canada will be governed through the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. The highest shipper and producer prices permitted will involve a maximum consumer price of about five cents a pound.

Production of farm machinery repair parts this year is to be 156 per cent of normal.



A WEEKLY EDITOR LOOKS AT Ottawa

Written specially
for the weekly newspapers of Canada
By JIM GREENBLAT

Notes from the Services: More than 2,000 British airmen trained in Canada married Canadian girls. . . The Canadian Women's Army Corps is making an appeal for 5,000 recruits. With a staff of only 130 airmen, the salvage section of the R.C.A.F. Repair Depot at Soudou, N.B., in 1943 recovered 320 aircraft valued at over \$50 million dollars, of which 229 were repaired, returned to service on Canada's east coast.

Figures have been released on patients in Canadian hospitals. From 1939 to 1942 the number of patients in our public hospitals increased by 230,783 or 27 per cent; in mental hospitals 3,266 or 6 per cent. In private hospitals the increase was 11,459 or 31 per cent. Tuberculosis sanatoria patients were more by 2,572, or 13 per cent. Figures show that average length of stay in public hospitals was 12.2 days, 15.6 days in private, 226 days for tuberculosis sanatoria and 5 to 6 years in mental institutions.

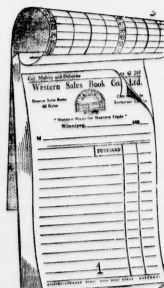
As close as can be reckoned by the responsible department, there should be at least 8,000,000 bushels of apples for fresh consumption in Canada for 1944-45, or about 35 pounds per head of population, against an average of 20 pounds in the two years just before the war. The prospect is given as good as a healthy demand at or close to ceiling prices for best varieties and packs. There were short crops in 1940, 1941 and 1942, but the normal crop now predicted for 1944 is estimated at about 12,885,000 bushels.

Canadian farms showed fine increases in all types of livestock, the official survey of December 1, 1943 showed. Cattle on farms were up by 7.8 per cent or 675,000 head. Saskatchewan had the highest increase, Ontario showing little. There were 3,552,000 milk cows in the country at the above date. There was a quarter million head increase in sheep, all benefiting in this regard except British Columbia while Saskatchewan with an up of 127.5 per cent was leading. Hogs went sky-high as to figures with a record of 22 per cent reaching 9,473,000 head, an increase of 1,722,000 over 1942. The population of hens and chickens (57,512,500) was up by over seven million birds.

This and That: Volunteer workers at six hundred local ration boards distributed 11,500,000 new ration books. . . Savings deposits in our chartered banks touched a new all-time high the end of last February with \$212,821,000, as against only \$1,795,460,000 same period a year ago.

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FROM
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Economical Housewives

There was a day when the housewives bought the far-away "bargain" in the belief that it was good business to save a few pennies. But experience taught them a few things. Today's housewives do not buy blindly. They examine the article first and when satisfied with the product they pay a fair price at home. It is economical to make your purchases in CARBON

TEA AND COFFEE RATIONS UP

Coupon value of tea is raised to four ounces, and of coffee to 16 ounces effective May 1st, the Wartime Prices and Trade Board has announced.

Two coupons will become valid each month, one every second and fourth Thursday. Valid coupons due, but not used before May 1 will be good for the increased value. Restaurants and other eating places are still restricted to serving one cup of tea or coffee to customers at one sitting.

BUY VICTORY BONDS

We Must See The Job Through

There is no letting-up on the fighting fronts. Action increases day by day. But our men there are conscious of their job—to carry on until victory is won. They will finish the job, and we must help them. Our job is an easy one compared to theirs.

We Must Buy More VICTORY BONDS

Yes, we bought bonds before, of course we did. The citizens of Carbon and community have done a good job on every occasion on which they have been asked to buy bonds. We're buying bonds again. Are we buying all the bonds we can? Are you buying all you can?

As long as the war lasts it is going to cost Canada money to carry on. And from now on the fighting will extend to new areas. The cost will mount higher.

THIS IS NO TIME TO REST ON THE JOB

We can't be content with what we have done. We must do more. We must keep on buying bonds until the war is won. Combined operations call for all-out action from each unit on the home front as well as on the fighting fronts. Carbon must go all-out to support the 6th Victory Loan. This community must do its share. And this means that each individual must help.

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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY

Love And War

By SEYMOUR RICHIN

McClure Newspaper Syndicate

George was almost on his knees pleading with Eddie. There was a wild look in George's blue eyes. The lion runs twice, the saying goes, but the third time he fights. George was no lion, but he'd been refused fifteen times. Repetition does things to a man as well as to a lion.

Now, shouting at Eddie, George's hair was disheveled, his collar was open and long since wilted, and his size 13½ neck was raspberry red. "Eddie," he screamed, "you've got to help me. I'm a ruined man if I don't get to the big dance tonight. Judy'll never forgive me. She'll treat me like ice, hot ice. I've got to have your tuxedo, Eddie. The other fellows are either going themselves, or they're poor or skinny or tall. And I can't rent one. I've got just enough dough for the dance and the trimmings."

"He that go?" Eddie questioned politely. "Most regrettable."

"Eddie," George said hoarsely, collapsing on a chair, "you'll lend me your tux, won't you? O.K. by me. I'll leave a pal on a sinking ship, would you? Would you, Eddie?"

"Ah, of course you know, George. Eddie finally started, "I like Judy myself. And seeing you in such a position does not, you understand, bring tears to my eyes."

George's voice was very faint. "Yeah, I know, Eddie. But don't you ever think of suffering humanity? Don't you ever...?"

"No, I never," Eddie interrupted curtly. "But I know when I'm licked."

"You do?" George managed, a delicious grin on his face.

"Yes," Eddie said with the peculiar smile "Judy likes you, O.K. by me. I'm a sport. After all, the best man

wins and Judy has given you the decision."

George gaped at Eddie, flabbergasted. "Then the war's over?"

Eddie nodded. "Yes. Over. Truce. Armistice. Peace and what have you. I retire from the field of battle. You win and I lose."

"Then you'll lend me your tux?"

"Of course, George. Of course. I'll lend you my ears if you wanted them, George. But I shall continue to retire from the field. Privately, though, to be sure."

"Eddie," George said solemnly, slapping him on the back, you're a real pal. A staunch, stalwart pal. You must have given his heart's blood for a friend."

"Save it, George. Save it for my birthday. My tuxedo is in the closet. Put it on gently. It cost me good American cash."

"Thanks, Eddie," George yelled, as he dove for the closet. "Thanks!" he shouted, running for the door. "I'll never forget this."

"No," Eddie murmured as George bolted out of the room, "you never will. I'm going to see to that myself." A few minutes later Eddie reached for the phone. He dialed swiftly, a contented smirk on his face.

"Hello," he purred smoothly. "Park Central Valet Shop? This is Eddie Lewis. I rented a tuxedo from you a few weeks ago. I'm calling to know it's not paid for! Don't get excited, miss, you'll deafen me. There's nothing worse than a woman screaming at her door open and money. A friend of mine is wearing the tux tonight at the school dance. Get it? His name is George Whittington. He's agreed to pay it. Send someone over to collect." Eddie put down the phone, his wide smile taking on a reach to reach his ears. "George," he muttered, "you're so stupid it's a crime to beat you."

Eddie undressed and went to bed. Eight doors down the hallway George was struggling frantically into a tuxedo. On his dresser he had two dollars and change—just enough for a movie after the dance.

George's door was at the head of the stairs. Eddie knocked in passing, and was astonished to hear a joyful "Come in, Eddie, just what I needed." He pushed the door open and entered. George was sitting on the end of his bed pulling on his socks. "Good the boy?"

Eddie started wonderingly at the smiling George. "Did I have a nice time last night?" he asked after taking a deep breath.

"Yep," George replied, beaming happily. "And you really did beat to congratulate me, Eddie. Judy and I are engaged."

Eddie nodded. "We didn't go to the dance last night," George continued. "Judy's sick. She and I had to stay at his. And she was so funny. When I went, Judy kissed me right away. It was much better than any dance." George rubbed his lips.

"Where's my tux?" Eddie asked weakly.

"At Judy's uncle's," George replied. "The Park Central Valet Shop you know, where you rent it. Judy said she got your phone call. And that's what I'm wondering about. Why'd you want to call the Park Central, Eddie?"

Super-Factory

Was Built In Scotland In The Short Period Of Four Months

Near a Scottish city, an 8,000 foot building has been built in four months. Before the war an undertaking such as this one would have taken nine to twelve months. The weeks after the war was settled, the final scheme was approved and the contract was let a month later. Consulting engineers were called in at the preliminary stages, the consultant staff working alongside the architectural staff. Bid orders were placed with suppliers as soon as the contract was let and in order that the work should run smoothly, an organization including architects, engineers and surveyors was set up on the site from the start of the construction. Due to this idea, queries were settled promptly and efficiently and it also resulted in an excellent team spirit between the contractors and technical staff. So that work should not be stopped during rainy periods, an ingenious invention of tubular scaffold frames with tarpaulin sheets was erected—and the work went on uninterrupted.

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Wooden Wonder

Mosquito Plane Flies Higher And Faster Than Any Other Bomber

In the World They call the Mosquito plane "The Wooden Wonder" and there is nothing derogatory about it. She is the No. 1, nine-gun girl of the aviation world.

Her evolution goes back to Dec. 29, 1939, when the British laid down plans for construction of a wooden bomber so fast she had never other gun turret nor gunners for protection.

May 15, 1941, saw the first flight of the fighter prototype and Sept. 1, 1941, the first Mosquito completed her first mission, a photographic reconnaissance from 4½ miles up.

May 31, 1942, brought the bomber version into action for the first time.

Nothing was said about her until Jan. 28, 1942, when Mosquitoes carried out a dash attack on Gestapo headquarters at Oslo. She made the first target shot. In Winter 1942-43, saw the fighter-bomber carrying 2,000-pound bomb loads with full fighter armament of four cannon and four machine guns. The unarmed bomber version carried 3,000 pounds of bombs.

Jan. 30, 1945, Mosquitoes went to Berlin and spoiled Nazi party birthday celebrations. In March that year the Mosquito appeared as a lay-down fighter, ranging deep into France and covering the Bay of Biscay.

The night of Feb. 23-24, 1944, they really bombed her up. On the morning of the 24th they announced the Mosquito had carried 4,000-pound shockloads into Germany.

There is nothing so far to touch her by flying this small town girl to bring higher and faster than any other bomber in the world—something far in excess of 400 miles an hour.

Story From Northland

Dentist Found One Patient Who Had Used His Genuity

Lieut. George A. Brockstedt, dental surgeon, central Canada command, United States army, has met some old patients during duty tours in the northland.

He found a trapper who wore his "wolves' teeth, fitted into a bridge with glue, and that Eskimo has a mortal fear of dental chairs.

A grizzled trapper mumbled 300 miles by dog team to "see the dentist."

"He had a bridge for two front teeth, middle years ago," said Lieut. Brockstedt. The teeth, however, had fallen out, and the trapper had taken two "wolves' teeth, filed them, and fitted them into the bridge with glue."

They were serviceable for a time, but the glue didn't hold too well.

The American officer, whose home is at Landerhurst, Long Island, N.Y., treated many Indians and Eskimos in the northland.

"Getting the Eskimos into the chair is something," he said. "Sometimes they put up stiff resistance."

STRONGLY CONSTRUCTED

Dotting The West African landscape are the hollow nests of termites—or white ants. Often their nests are 10 feet high and are constructed of earth and wood cemented with saliva and strong enough to hold a man.

Magistrate's Clerk: "Why haven't you paid this fine?"

Man: "Why? I had the money to pay, my wife wanted a new hat."

Clerk: "And you gave her the money for the new hat?"

Man: "Yes, I thought you would be more lenient than she would be if I refused."

"I hear you are giving up your pastorate," said one aged and infirm minister to another. "How are your people taking it?"

"Oh, well," was the answer—"I'm resigning, and they're resigning."

Water (at the club): "There is a lady outside who says that her husband promised to be home early tonight."

All (rising):—"Excuse me a moment."

Busa, near the Persian gulf, is considered to have the longest continuous existence of any city in history—from 4,000 B.C. to 650 A.D.

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GARDEN NOTES

Cultivation

Killing weeds is only one function of cultivation. In the well-cared-for garden, where weeds never make it to improve the soil by maintaining moisture, letting in air and keeping soil fine. One or two shallowings of vegetable or flower garden after rain, and then a little stirring up lightly with a cultivator every once a week until the middle of summer—and growth will come along almost regardless of dry weather.

When To Plant

Flowers and vegetables divide themselves into three general groups—hardy, semi-hardy and tender. In the seed catalogues and on the packets these are the general descriptions. The information provides the key to planting time in any part of the Dominion.

The first group can be put in just as soon as the soil is fit to work, which is when it crumbles and not packs into a ball when squeezed.

In the semi-hardy line are spinach, lettuce, radish and peas, among the vegetables, and nasturtium, cosmos, bachelor buttons and sweet peas, among the flowers.

In the tender line are tomatoes and flowers which will stand a light frost. Among the vegetables are beans, potatoes and corn in the vegetable line, and melons, cucumbers, calliopsis in the flowers.

Tender plants will not stand any frost. In this line are the cucumbers, cucumbers, peppers, pumpkins, among the vegetables, and gladioli, dahlias, camellias, in flowers.

Laying Out

The most effective layout of flowers, lawns and shrubbery, for the average gardener, is an informal one. That is, curved paths and borders are more attractive than straight ones. We put in these curves, especially in paths, landscape experts say. We must be sure to make a reason for them otherwise the whole effect will be artificial. At the bend in the driveway or path, therefore, it is well to have a tree or a group of shrubs or a flower bed.

In screening, it is not necessary nor desirable to cover the whole of fence wall or garage unless the same are really ugly. Much more pleasing result follow where the shrubbery, trees and flowers merely break the lines of the man-made structures behind them, but leave enough showing for contrast.

SMILE AWHILE

"There's only one way to get rid of your surplus fat. Exercise, and plenty of it!"

"Nonsense. How do you account for my wife's double chin?"

"I called to make an appointment with the dentist."

"He's out just now."

"Ah, when you expect him to be out again?"

"She: "Why have you brought me special floss?"

He: "Well, real ones usually die while I'm waiting for you."

A lawyer, being interrupted said: "I will speak, sir, as long as I please."

He then spoke longer than you please," was the opponent's retort.

Sheriff: "Did you catch that automobile thief?"

Deputy: "He surely was a lucky fellow. We had chased him a mile when our 1,000 miles were up and we had to stop and change him."

Madge: "Don't you sailors have a ship where you get your hair cut?"

Ship: "No, there ain't no such ships in our fleet."

Man: "Then what are these clipper ships I've heard so much about?"

Magistrate's Clerk: "Why haven't you paid this fine?"

Man: "Why? I had the money to pay, my wife wanted a new hat."

Clerk: "And you gave her the money for the new hat?"

Man: "Yes, I thought you would be more lenient than she would be if I refused."

"I hear you are giving up your pastorate," said one aged and infirm minister to another. "How are your people taking it?"

"Oh, well," was the answer—"I'm resigning, and they're resigning."

Water (at the club): "There is a lady outside who says that her husband promised to be home early tonight."

All (rising):—"Excuse me a moment."

Busa, near the Persian gulf, is considered to have the longest continuous existence of any city in history—from 4,000 B.C. to 650 A.D.

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These days, when tea must yield the utmost in flavour, quality is of supreme importance. Ask for ..



Cereals Have New Role In Wartime

Breakfast Foods Are Plentiful, So Smart Cooks Use Them Three Times A Day

(By Barbara B. Brooks)

Women are taking the food situation in their stride. When the grocer announces he has run out of this or that, or the bin in the super-market is empty, they no longer get the deplorable what-will-I-have-for-supper look. Cheerfully, they are using the foods that are plentiful—whether they ever used them before or not. Cereals, for instance. They're still at the grocer's shelves. Of course cereals aren't new. People have been eating them for breakfast for generations. But cereals for lunch and dinner are off the beaten track. Yet today women are buying crisp prepared cereals and using them in cooking with results that are little short of amazing.

As food stretchers, cereals do a fine job. Combined with meat they make a little look like a lot. But cereals are more than stretchers. They add flavor, interest and food value.

Save And Apple Patties

1½ cups whole wheat sheds
1 cup milk
1 egg, slightly beaten
1 pound ground raw beef
1 pound pork sausage
2 medium apples
2 teaspoons pepper
Combine whole wheat sheds, milk, egg, salt and mix thoroughly. Add meat, sausage and apples. Divide mixture into twelve equal portions.

Fare, core and slice apples crosswise into thirds. Put apple slice between two patties and press together. Bake in shallow pan in moderate oven (375 degrees F.) 30-35 minutes or until meat is done and apple is tender. Serve with gravies.

Veal Paprika

1½ cups corn flakes
1½ cups whole wheat sheds
1 egg
1 tablespoon salt
1 tablespoon water
1 clove garlic
1½ cups fat
1 cup sour cream
2 tablespoons paprika
Roll corn flakes into fine crumbs. Cut veal into pieces about 1 by 2 inches. Dip in egg, slightly beaten with salt and water, then in crumbs. Cut paprika into pieces and cook in fat until brown. Remove garlic oil and cook until lightly browned. Add water, cover and simmer about an hour or until tender. Add cream and salt to taste. Sprinkle with paprika and cook about 15 minutes. Yield: 4 to 6 servings. Note: Shredded veal may be used in place of sour cream.

Saving Money

Canadians Have Huge Savings To Ease Post-War Difficulties

R. L. Wright, research director for a Canadian advertising agency, told the Toronto Graphic Arts Association that Canadians now have a savings cushion of more than \$8,000,000 to ease the difficulties of the post-war transition period.

He suggested this reserve might be increased at the rate of \$2,000,000 a year.

He warned that these savings might lead to a "gigantic post-war spending spree" and added that it might be necessary to retain wartime controls to maintain equitable distribution of supplies and to avoid inflation.

One hundred pounds of old newspapers can be processed into 200 containers for blood plasma.

The Garden Plot

Gardens Supply Vegetables High In Nutritional Value

The kitchen garden planted to supply the family with both fresh vegetables all summer long—and canned, or stored vegetables for winter use plays an important part in keeping Canada strong and healthy.

Pathe's doubtless has his planting plans well in hand by now—but most of us, with her knowledge of food values should make a check to be sure that those vegetables specially high in nutritive values are given their proper share in the garden plot. Nutrition Services at Ottawa rate tomatoes a "must" for every garden. The leafy vegetables, spinach or chard and kale, so rich in vitamin A, should be given priority—and the pole beans, which are a good food when the garden is big enough, should be among those present.

This Week's Pattern



By ANNE ADAMS

A slenderizing, feminine frock that's easy as falling off a log to make in Pattern 4746. Note how few pattern pieces. What's more it buttons down the front so you can slip it into it without spoiling your hair-do. A size 14.

Pattern 4746 comes in sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coin (stamps cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 171 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man. "Because of the slowness of the mail delivery of our patterns may take a few days longer than usual."

LARGEST FOOD STOCK

The Daily Mail reported that the largest food stock in world history has been accumulated by Britain for the western invasion—food for the invading soldiers, for the people they will liberate and for civilians at home.

Dice are said to have been used in Greece about 1244 B.C.

HAMBLEY'S CHICK ZONE

The Life Saver for Baby's Digestive System. First year's diet. 42¢. 2nd year's diet. 42¢. 3rd year's diet. 42¢. 4th year's diet. 42¢. 5th year's diet. 42¢. 6th year's diet. 42¢. 7th year's diet. 42¢. 8th year's diet. 42¢. 9th year's diet. 42¢. 10th year's diet. 42¢. 11th year's diet. 42¢. 12th year's diet. 42¢. 13th year's diet. 42¢. 14th year's diet. 42¢. 15th year's diet. 42¢. 16th year's diet. 42¢. 17th year's diet. 42¢. 18th year's diet. 42¢. 19th year's diet. 42¢. 20th year's diet. 42¢. 21st year's diet. 42¢. 22nd year's diet. 42¢. 23rd year's diet. 42¢. 24th year's diet. 42¢. 25th year's diet. 42¢. 26th year's diet. 42¢. 27th year's diet. 42¢. 28th year's diet. 42¢. 29th year's diet. 42¢. 30th year's diet. 42¢. 31st year's diet. 42¢. 32nd year's diet. 42¢. 33rd year's diet. 42¢. 34th year's diet. 42¢. 35th year's diet. 42¢. 36th year's diet. 42¢. 37th year's diet. 42¢. 38th year's diet. 42¢. 39th year's diet. 42¢. 40th year's diet. 42¢. 41st year's diet. 42¢. 42nd year's diet. 42¢. 43rd year's diet. 42¢. 44th year's diet. 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THE METHODIST BAPTIST CHURCH
IN CARBON

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
OUR INVITATION: Pledge \$5.00
or come, let us worship and hear doc-
trine as told before the Lord our Maker
REV. E. RIEMER, pastor

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
REV. R. H. HINCHLEY, minister

CARBON:
Preschool Service 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School 12:10 p.m.
GARRETT SCHOOL:
Preschool Service 8:30 p.m.
REDICANA:
Preschool Service 7:30 p.m.
ALL ARE WELCOME

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND
IN CARBON

Parish of Christ Church Carbon
7:30 p.m. Evening Service
BUY VICTORY BONDS

PRESIDENTIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
E. S. PENSE, Minister

SUNDAY, MAY 7th
Presidential Church:
10:00-11:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00-12:00 p.m. Worship Service
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11:00-12:00 p.m. Worship Service
7:30 a.m. B.Y.O.U. Meeting
English preaching service

OUR INVITATION:
To all who mourn and need comfort—
to all who are weary and need rest—
to all who are friendly and wish
"friendliness" to all who pray and to all
who do not, but ought—to all who sit
and need a Saviour, and to whoever
wills—these churches open wide their
doors and in the name of Jesus, the
Lord say: "WELCOME!"

CARBON HOTEL

FRANK STOCKI, Proprietor

COMFORTABLE
ROOMS

FULLY LICENSED

BUY VICTORY BONDS

TOWN AND COUNTRY
PERSONALOLOGRAPHS

Harry Thorburn of Evansburg has
been visiting the past ten days with
his brother Ross in Carbon.

Mr. Aaron Klassen of the Builder's
Hardware Stores, Calgary, was a busi-
ness visitor in town for a couple of
days last week.

Violet Emre and Leon have moved
to the Turcotte Building.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Talbot of Cal-
gary spent Thursday and Friday in
Carbon visiting with Mrs. E. Talbot.

A farewell party was held at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Adams last
Wednesday evening for Mr. and Mrs.
Fred Friebe. Mr. Friebe leaves town
for Powell River to work and Mrs.
Friebe and family will go to Leader
Stark for a visit before leaving to re-
side at the coast.

Charlie Graham has been busy this
week when the wind was not
blowing, painting the C.I. Naah
store. Charlie Naah, being a patriotic
citizen, had the letters "C" in the
word "provision" left unpainted to ad-
vertise the Sixth Victory Loan.

Miss Elaine Torrance and Mrs. C.
Duncan of Calgary spent the week and
in town at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
S.E. Torrance.

The two plays and the dance put
on by residents of the Birchmont dis-
trict in the Farmers' Exchange hall
on Friday night drew a good crowd.

The editor had a letter this week
from Pilot Officer Ralph Atkinson
who is now in England. Ralph likes
the English climate and expects to
take advanced training before enter-
ing into actual operational flight.

Frank Emery, Mick Sherry and J.
Gablehouse have had the boulevard
paved up from Mrs. M. Reid's house
to the corner at Frank Emery's re-
sidence and have planted trees. Carbon
now has a few more trees and others
could well follow the example set by
these men.

UNRESERVED
AUCTION SALE
Having received instructions from
MR. W. WEICKER
I will sell the following goods at the
Yale Ranch, 1/2 mile East of Trochu—
SATURDAY, MAY 6th
13 HEAD OF CATTLE

12 Registered Shorthorn Heifers, rising
second & 3 with calves at foot
1 Purchased Jersey, rising 4 years, to
freshen in 3 weeks; 1 name cow; One
4-year old Jersey Heifer, with calf at
foot; 2 2-year old Heifers to calve in
May; 2 Yearling Steers; 2 2-year old
steers; 2 2-year old Heifers; 1 Reg-
istered Shorthorn Bull, 2 years old in
March.

115 — HOGS — 115
3 Purchased Yorkshire Sows with Lit-
ters; 10 Purchased Duroc Sows with
litters; 7 Friesian cows, weight about
125 pounds; 1 Registered Yorkshire
Boar.

4 HEAD OF HORSES — 4
5 head of work Horses, from 3 to 8
years of age; 1 Shetland Pony.

MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES
2-ton Platform Scale, Working Pony;
Gard's Cultivator; Tank Heater; Wa-
gon and Back; Tare Board; House
Heater; 100-Pipe Toolboxes; Set of
Buckhorn Harness; Smith Heater, etc.,
SALE AT 1:00 P.M.—TERMS CASH
NOAH ROSE, Auctioneer
Licence No. 121-44-45.
Telephone: 1113—Seaford

You Said It
Archie!

THERE
AIN'T ENNY
RATION BOOKS
NEEDED 'T BUY
VICTORY BONDS
— BUY ALL
YOU CAN!



THEY DO NOT FIGHT ALONE

Our purchase of Victory Bonds does
not line us up as an active partici-
pant with the Canadian in battle,
dressed in the grim battle being waged
in Europe. We cannot fool ourselves
on this point. For there is little or
no sacrifice here in Canada that can
be related even remotely to the har-
shness of life or death work in which
our boys are engaged overseas.

Yet the purchase of Victory Bonds
is vital to the well-being of our men
in battle for two reasons. First the
cash we thus provide maintains the
flow of necessary material to the
fighting forces. Secondly, and perhaps
more important, the enthusiastic sup-
port which Canadians at home give
to a Victory Loan informs the boys
overseas better than any other method
we have at our command that the
hearts and minds of the overwhelming
majority of folks back home are
with them.



MRS. MERTON SAYS

TOTAL WAR IS A
LOT BETTER THAN
TOTAL SLAVERY—
Buy
Victory Bonds

SEEDTIME
AND HARVEST

By
DR. E. W. NEATBY
Director
Line Elevator Farm Service

Of This and That

This column is now nearly four
years old. Writing it is something
like speaking over the radio, in that
the audience is unseen and unknown.
There is no heckling, but neither is
there any applause! Of course, we
are often obliged to deal with dis-
tasteful subjects such as diseases,
insects, weeds, soil erosion, etc.
When this department, now
known as Line Elevator Farm
Service, was organized, we were
told to make ourselves useful to
farmers. This we have endeavored
to do and, judging from the
demands made upon our services
and publications, our efforts have
not been in vain. In case this
seems self-satisfied, we confess dis-
appointment in the response to our
weed identification service. Last
year, about 500 specimens were
sent in by Line Elevator agents for
their farmer patrons. This is not
enough. It would not be so dis-
appointing if provincial department
of agriculture and experimental
farms were kept busy naming
weeds, but they are not.

No farmer can plan weed control
measures intelligently unless he
knows the weeds. Many farmers
have become involved in very
heavy expense because an uniden-
tified perennial such as hairy spurge,
grazed a cold foothold before it
was recognized. These two state-
ments merit attention. It is not
much trouble to take specimens to
a Line Elevator agent, and the
identification is accurate because
when in doubt we appeal to the
Division of Botany, Ottawa. If
you prefer to send directly to a
government department, by all
means do so. But send unknown
weeds somewhere.

Many People, Realizing Its Advantages Await the Event of

STATE INSURANCE

In Alberta, State Insurance is available for Life
or Fire Insurance. A Social Service for saving, and
not for profit—at lowest rates.

Alberta Government Insurance Office

W. A. BRAISHER

Agent for Carbon

NEW SHIPMENT OF
WORK CLOTHES

WILLIAMS WORK SHOES, Good Year welt—
Per pair \$5.95 to \$6.50

Also Valentine and Leckie Shoes

Good assortment of Work Clothes such as
SHIRTS, OVERALLS, PANTS, GLOVES, CAPS,
SOCKS, UNDERWEAR, ETC.

INVEST IN VICTORY—BUY BONDS!

THE CARBON TRADING COMPANY

I. Guttman, prop. :: Carbon, Alberta

LET'S SHOW
OUR COLORS

Our fighting forces face a harder and
more dangerous task than ever. Yet they
are willing to make any sacrifice.

We at home must show the same
unselfish spirit. We must buy Victory
Bonds till it hurts. It's the very least we
can do—and no one who is able to buy
them should escape this duty! So let's
prove we're ready to do our share by
buying EXTRA Victory Bonds.

Put Victory First...

BUY VICTORY BONDS

I KNOW
EXACTLY WHAT
DAD'S DREAMING
ABOUT --
HE JUST GOT HIS
VICTORY
BONDS TODAY!



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Deliver to the MIDLAND
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PLUS
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